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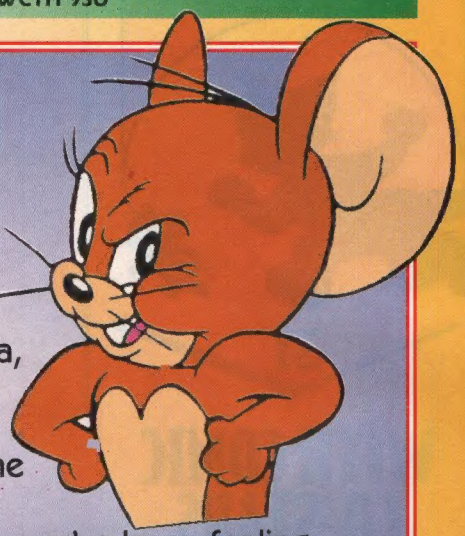
A letter from the editors



Greetings, all you T&J fans!

Cats and mice are really big business – especially ones who are named Tom and Jerry!

Why? We've told you in the past that this cool mag is published in lots of other countries like Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Italy and Australia.

Well, now we've reached a mass of others; Romania, Croatia, Slovenia, Turkey and the Czech Republic to name just a few.

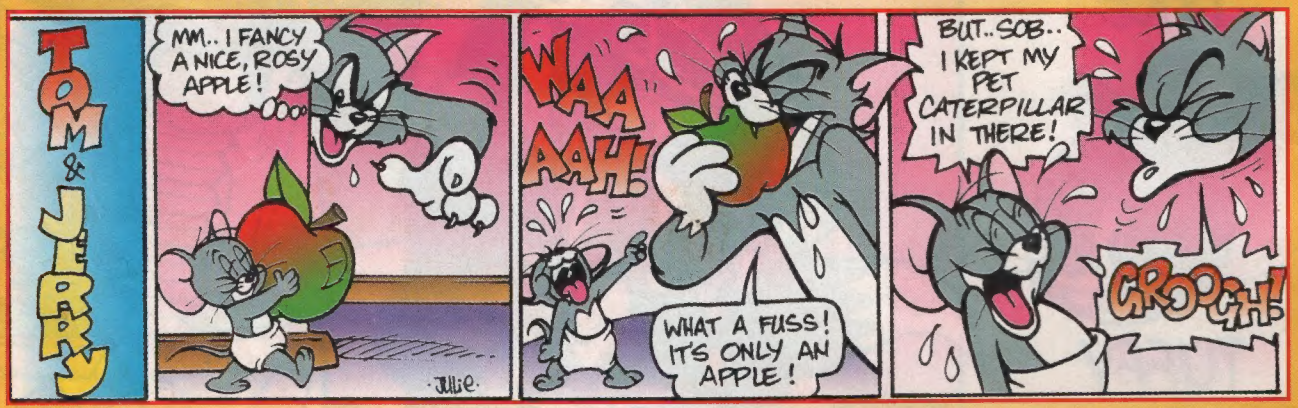
Cats love to chase mice, of course, so that must be why we've been feeling tired lately. Round the house is one thing – from country to country is another!

Happy reading! Tom & Jerry

HIDE 'n' SEEK - SPIKE 'n' TYKE STYLE

Little Tyke is hiding but his Pop is so sure he can find him that he's positively beaming. Which path do you think he will take, A, B or C?

Solution: A



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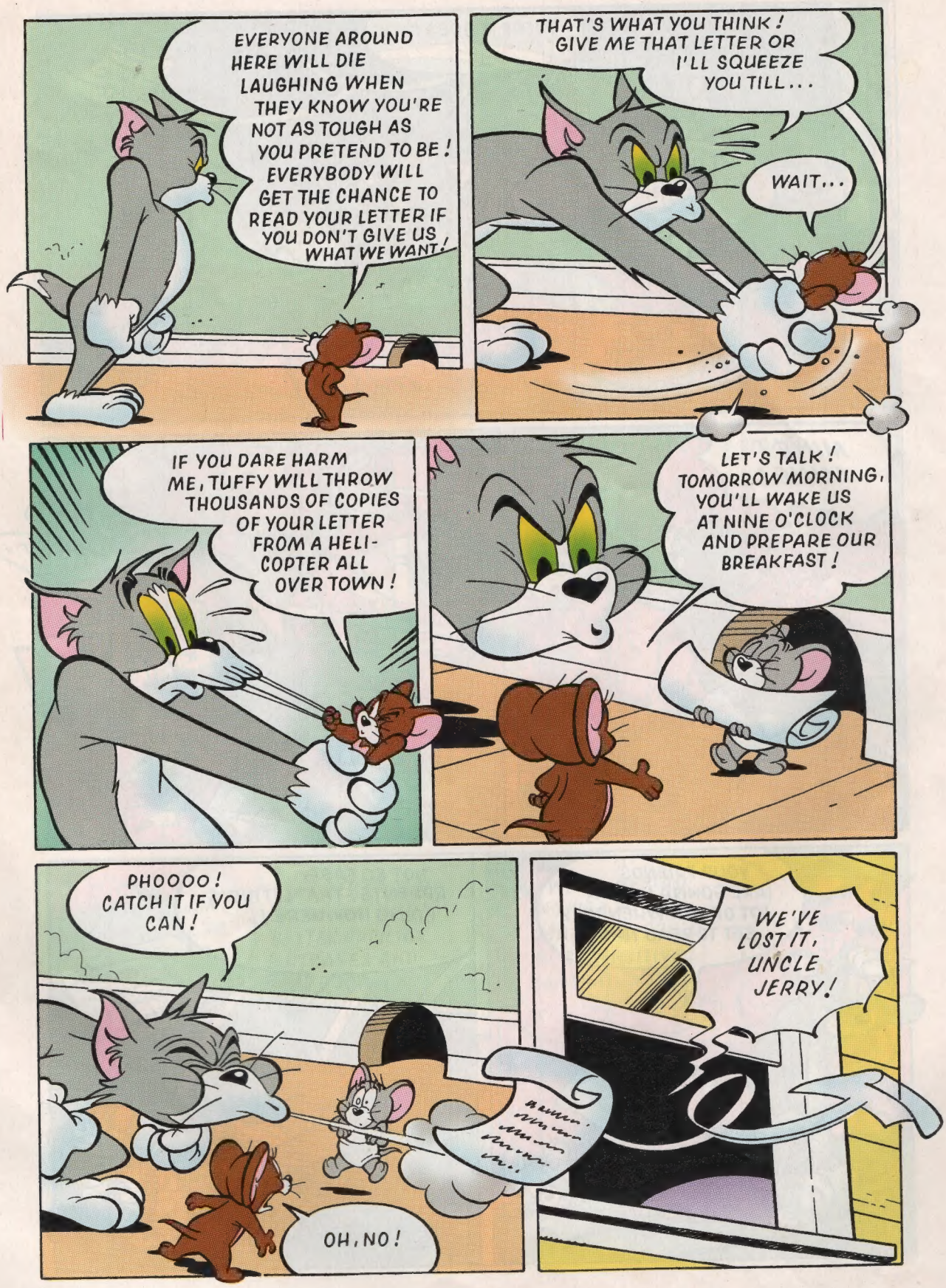
TRA-LA-LA...TRA-LA-LA...
OH, BOY! I'M IN LOVE!
... THE MOST BEAUTIFUL NEIGHBOUR IN THE WORLD!
I'VE MADE UP MY MIND! TODAY I'M GOING TO WRITE THAT LOVE LETTER I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO SEND HER!
...AND YOUR EYELASHES LOOK LIKE BUTTERFLIES FLUTTERING BEFORE ME... AND YOUR EYES ARE LIKE SPRING FLOWERS GLITTERING IN THE LAWN!

I DON'T KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENING TO ME, BUT I LIKE IT!
LOOK, TUFFY! TOM'S WRITING A LETTER!
HA, HA, HA! WHAT A LAUGH! HOW CAN YOU BE SO SOPPY?
OH! ER.. WHAT A SURPRISE! I DIDN'T HEAR YOU COMING!
HA, HA, HA! WE KNOW THAT!
I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU'VE WRITTEN DOWN ALL THAT STUFF! IS THIS THE TOUGH TOM WE ALL KNOW?
HEE, HEE, HEE!

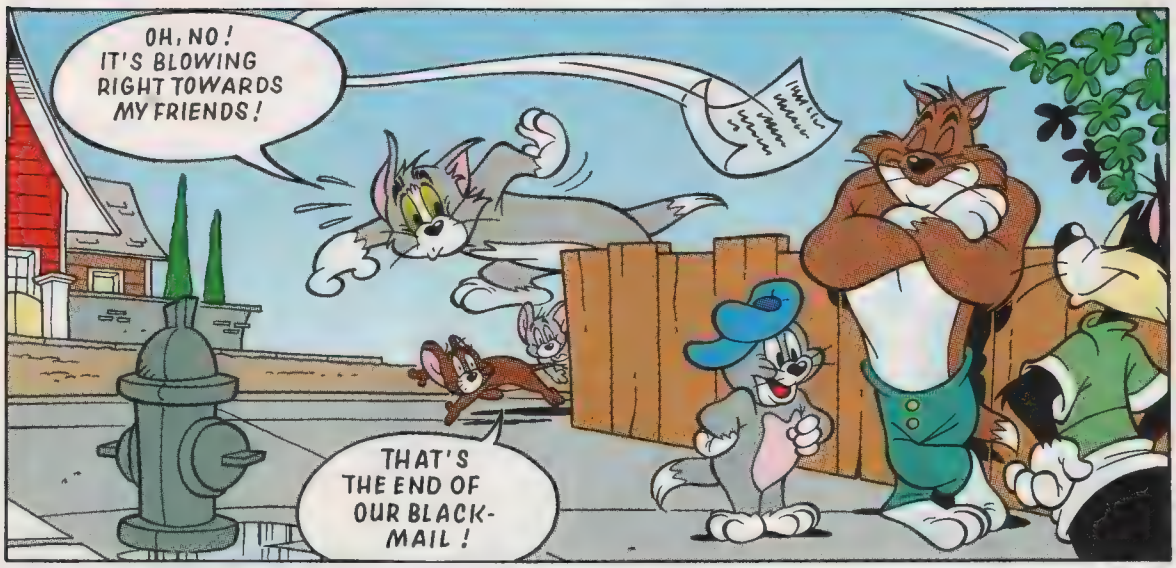
I BET YOUR PUSSY PALS WOULD LOVE TO SEE THAT LETTER, TOM!
BANG!
BANG!
PLOFF!
GRR! HE'S GONNA PAY FOR THIS!
WHAT WILL YOU DO, UNCLE JERRY?
THAT WILL TEACH THEM NOT TO TELL ANYONE ABOUT MY LETTER!
I'D BETTER HAVE A REST AFTER THAT EXERCISE!

ZZZZ
THERE'S THE LETTER!
NOW WE'VE GOT THIS, WE'LL GET ANYTHING WE WANT FROM TOM! OTHERWISE, WE'LL SHOW IT TO HIS FRIENDS!
HUH?
MY LETTER! THEY'VE STOLEN IT!
GIVE ME THAT LETTER BACK AT ONCE!
"...AND THE SCENT YOU LEAVE BEHIND YOU MAKES ME DRUNK WITH HAPPINESS..." HA, HA, HA... AND... HA, HA, HA...
SHALL WE START RUNNING?

I'LL MANGLE YOU!
YOU'LL GET YOUR LETTER BACK AS SOON AS OUR NEEDS ARE SATISFIED: CHEESE, CHEESE AND MORE CHEESE!
NOT ON YOUR LIVES!
GIVE ME THAT LETTER!
ROOF!
AAAAAH!

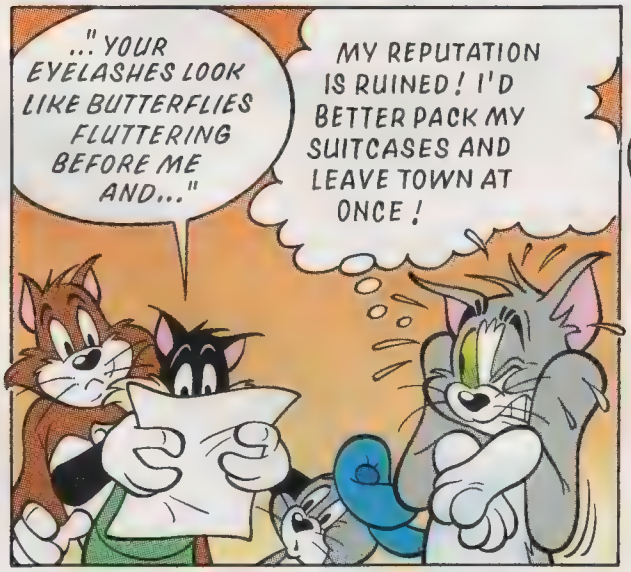

EVERYONE AROUND HERE WILL DIE LAUGHING WHEN THEY KNOW YOU'RE NOT AS TOUGH AS YOU PRETEND TO BE ! EVERYBODY WILL GET THE CHANCE TO READ YOUR LETTER IF YOU DON'T GIVE US WHAT WE WANT !
THAT'S WHAT YOU THINK ! GIVE ME THAT LETTER OR I'LL SQUEEZE YOU TILL . . .
WAIT . . .
IF YOU DARE HARM ME, TUFFY WILL THROW THOUSANDS OF COPIES OF YOUR LETTER FROM A HELI-COPTER ALL OVER TOWN !
LET'S TALK ! TOMORROW MORNING, YOU'LL WAKE US AT NINE O'CLOCK AND PREPARE OUR BREAKFAST !
PHOOOO ! CATCH IT IF YOU CAN !
OH, NO !
WE'VE LOST IT, UNCLE JERRY !

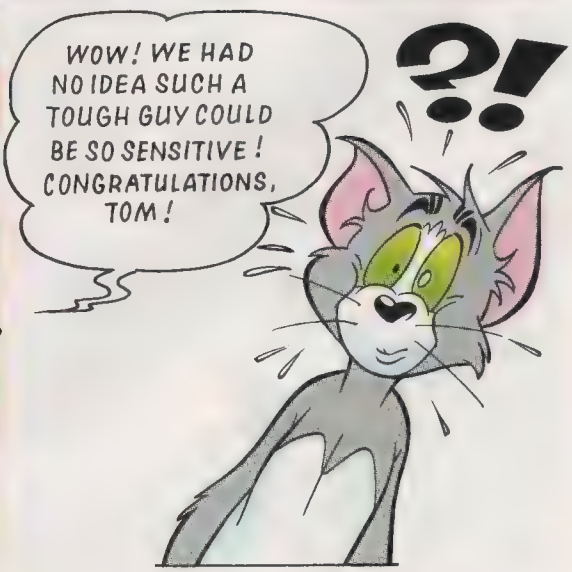
THERE IT GOES!
IT'S MINE! I'LL GET IT!
MINE! MINE!
OUFF!
PLAFF!
YOUR FRIENDS ARE GONNA HAVE A LOT OF FUN WHEN THEY GET TO READ THIS!
NOT SO FAST, RODENTS! THAT LETTER'S GOING NOWHERE!


OH, NO! IT'S BLOWING RIGHT TOWARDS MY FRIENDS!
THAT'S THE END OF OUR BLACK-MAIL!

PLOFF!

IT'S A LOVE LETTER! AND IT'S SIGNED BY TOM!
HEH, HEH! THAT'S ME!


..." YOUR EYELASHES LOOK LIKE BUTTERFLIES FLUTTERING BEFORE ME AND..."
MY REPUTATION IS RUINED! I'D BETTER PACK MY SUITCASES AND LEAVE TOWN AT ONCE!


WOW! WE HAD NO IDEA SUCH A TOUGH GUY COULD BE SO SENSITIVE! CONGRATULATIONS, TOM!
?!

WE NEVER TOLD YOU THIS BECAUSE WE WERE AFRAID OF MAKING FOOLS OF OURSELVES; BUT WE'RE IN LOVE WITH OUR NEIGHBOURS, TOO!
THAT'S RIGHT!
BUT WE DON'T KNOW HOW TO TELL THEM AND WE'RE NOT VERY GOOD AT WRITING, EITHER. BUT IT'S EASY FOR YOU TO IMPRESS THE GIRLS WITH THAT POETIC HEART OF YOURS.
WELL, I...I...
COULDN'T YOU HELP US?
CATS ARE ALL THE SAME DEEP DOWN, AREN'T THEY?
YEAH. HARD AT THE TOP AND SOFT AT THE BOTTOM!
WAIT TILL MY LITTLE NEIGHBOUR GETS TO READ THIS!
I WISH I COULD WRITE LETTERS THIS GOOD!
KEEP STILL, BRUISER...
WRITE SOMETHING ABOUT BIRDS! SHE LOVES BIRDS!
END

CRAZY CHANNEL
HI THERE, FANS OF THE NUMBER ONE TV CHANNEL! THIS MONTH YOU'LL SEE AN EXCITING SIDECAR RACE. BIKE NUMBER 8 IS TOM THE CAT!
OH, NO! THE AXLE HAS BROKEN AND THE SIDECAR IS GOING INTO THE RIVER!
CRACK!
LOOK! TOM'S COUSIN MEW-CAT IS ROWING LIKE A CHAMPION TO REACH THE OTHER SIDE!
TV
JUST AS TOM PASSES, HE GRABS HIS COUSIN'S HAND AND THEY CROSS THE LINE TO WIN! WHAT A RACE!
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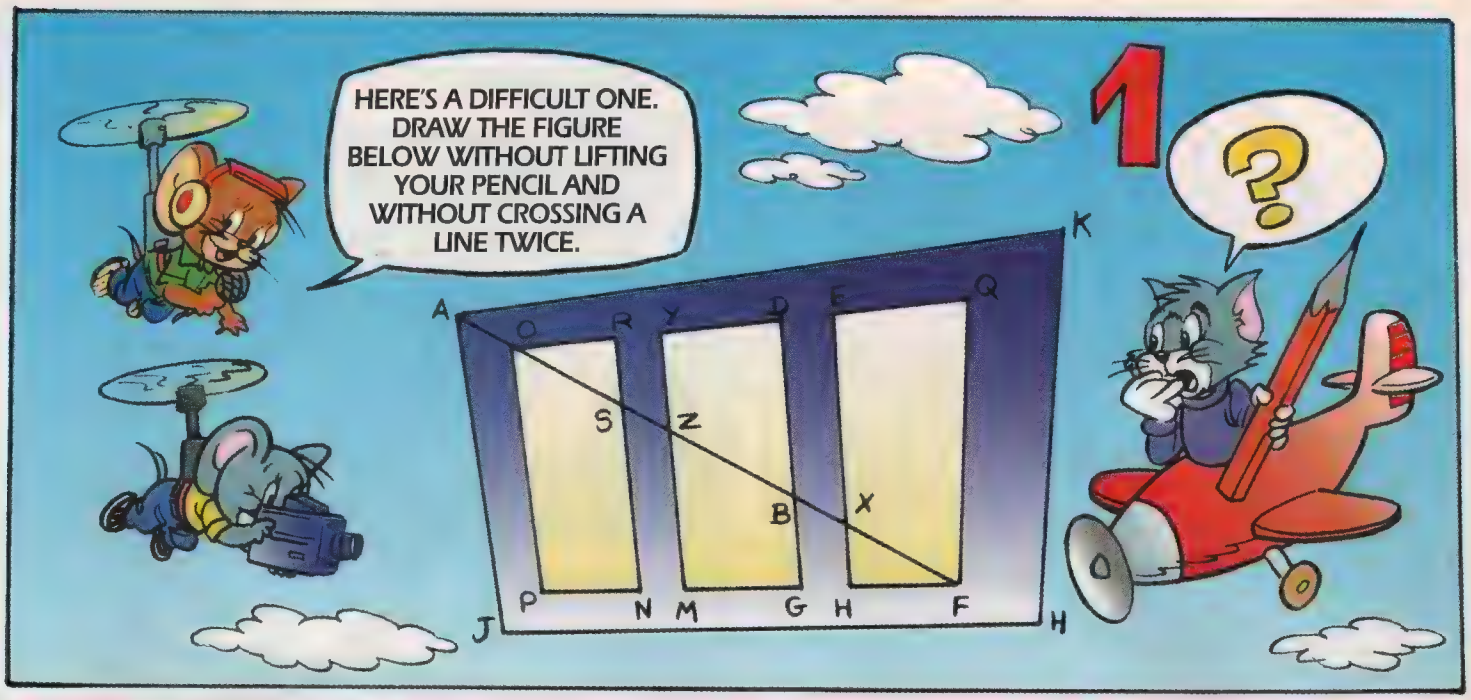

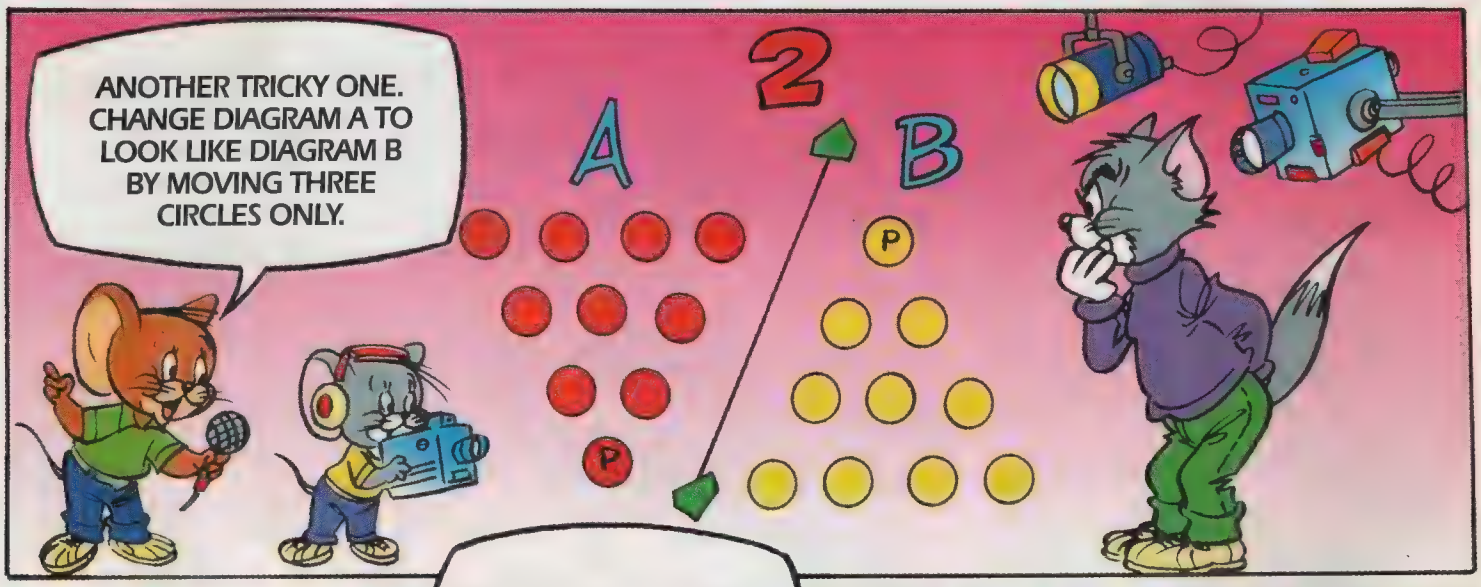

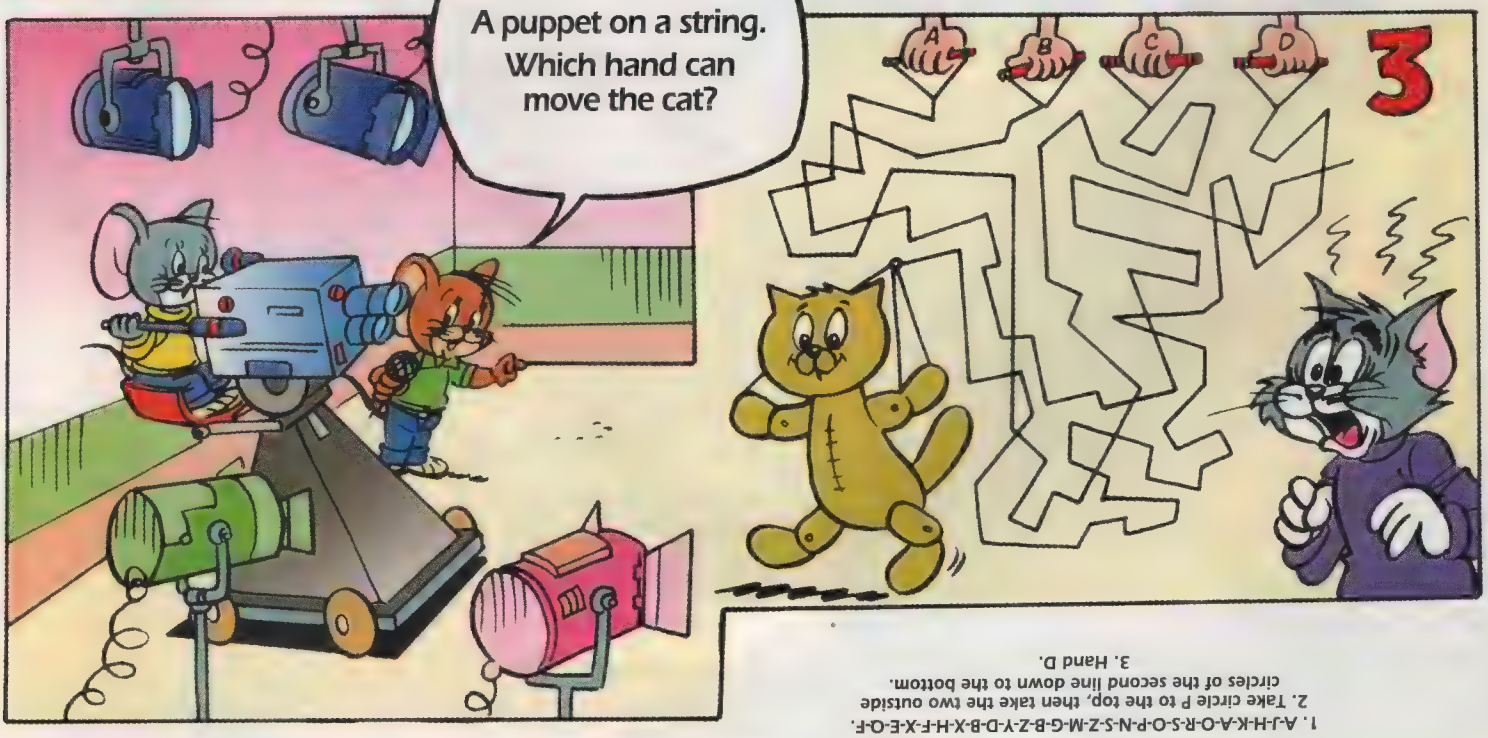

1. A-J-H-K-A-O-R-S-O-P-N-S-Z-M-G-B-Z-Y-D-B-X-H-F-X-E-O-F.
2. Take circle P to the top, then take the two outside circles of the second line down to the bottom.
3. Hand D.

TOM PRESENTS HIS SENSATIONAL NEW POWER DRINK. IT GIVES YOU IMMENSE STRENGTH!
ONLY ONE LITTLE SIP AND PLAYER NUMBER 6 WILL BECOME PLAYER NUMBER 1!
NUMBER SIX – ROCK DOG – IS GOING LIKE A TRAIN! THEY'VE HAD TO FOUL HIM TO STOP HIM!
IT'S A PENALTY KICK. ROCK DOG WILL TAKE IT HIMSELF!
WOW! THE PITCH AS WELL! THE DRINK'S TOO STRONG!
CRASH!

HERE'S ANOTHER FUNNY CRAZY CHANNEL SCENE. CAN YOU SEE WHAT TOM IS SAYING?
?
I LOVE ALL OF YOU! TOM CAT
BELIEVE IT OR NOT, I'M SERIOUS. NOW TAKE A LOOK AT OUR BIG PICTURE...
!
HOTEL
COMPLETE
ZZZZ
80
10'-
SPAGHETTI
NOW YOUR TEST. HOW MANY PEOPLE WEAR TIES, HATS OR GLASSES. LOOK CLOSELY.
HERE ARE THE ANSWERS.
5 TIES, 9 HATS AND 2 GLASSES.

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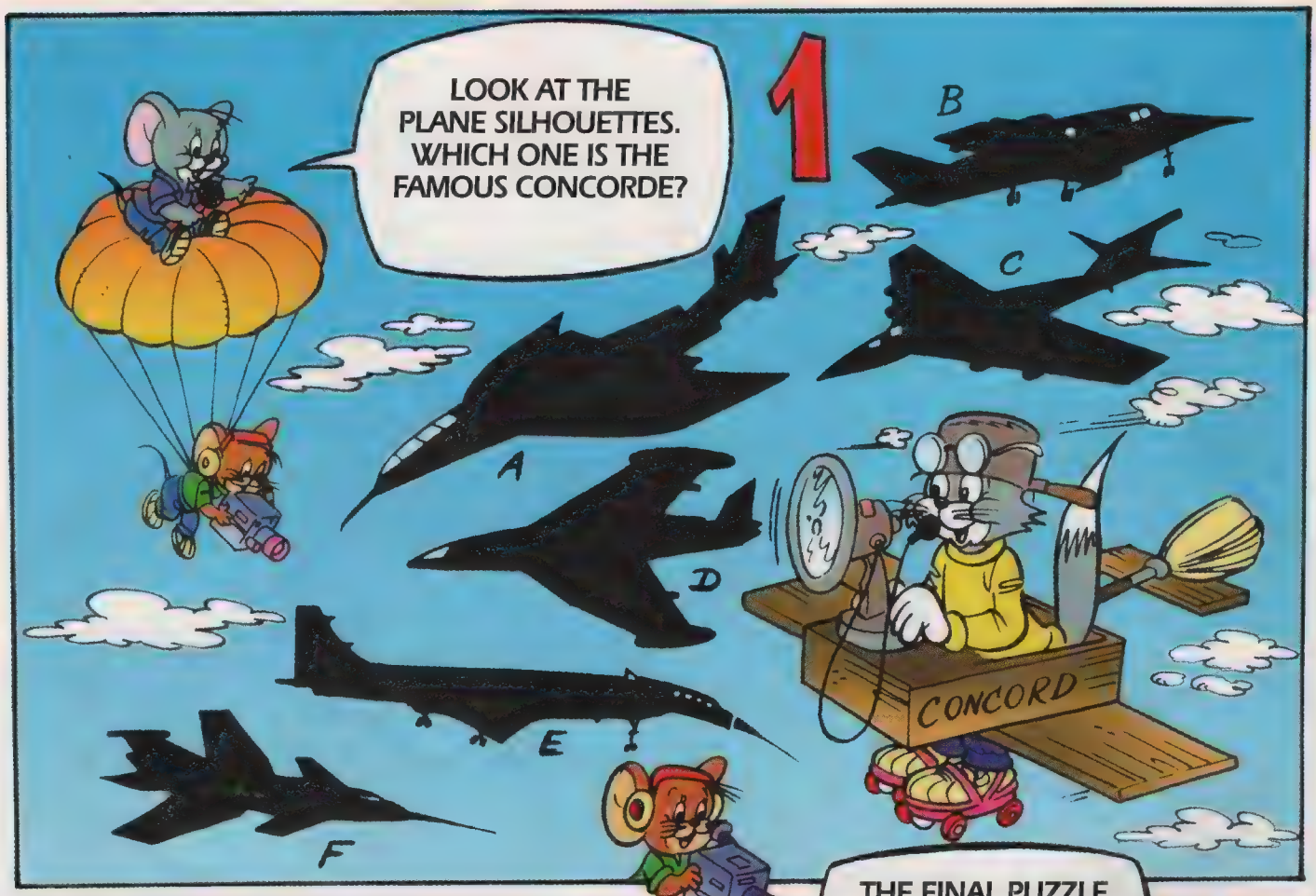
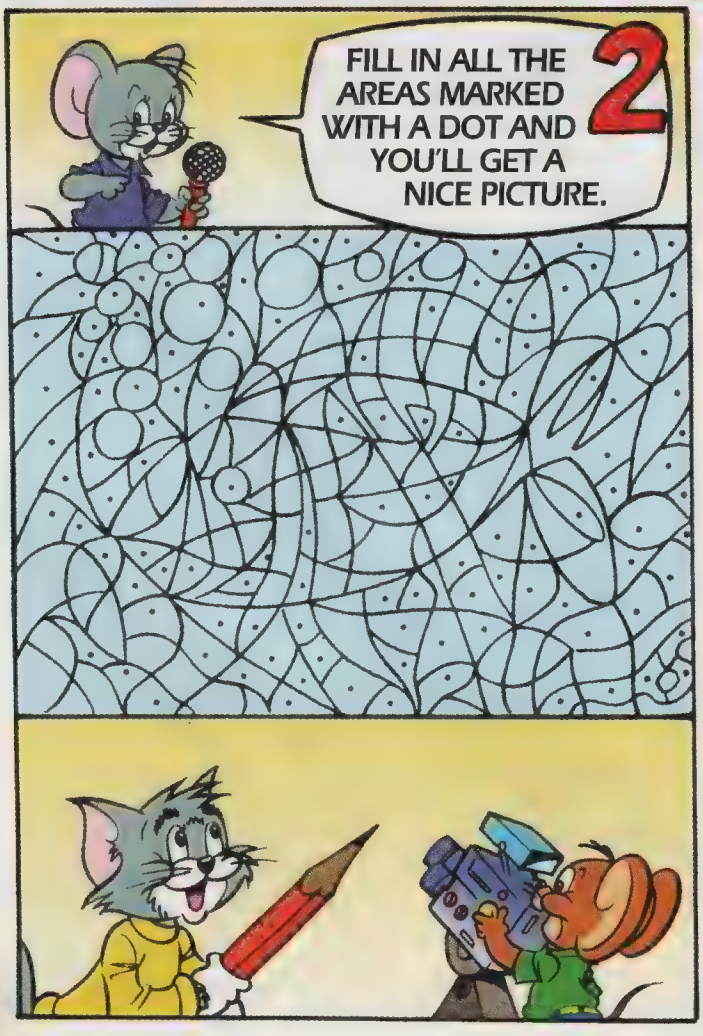
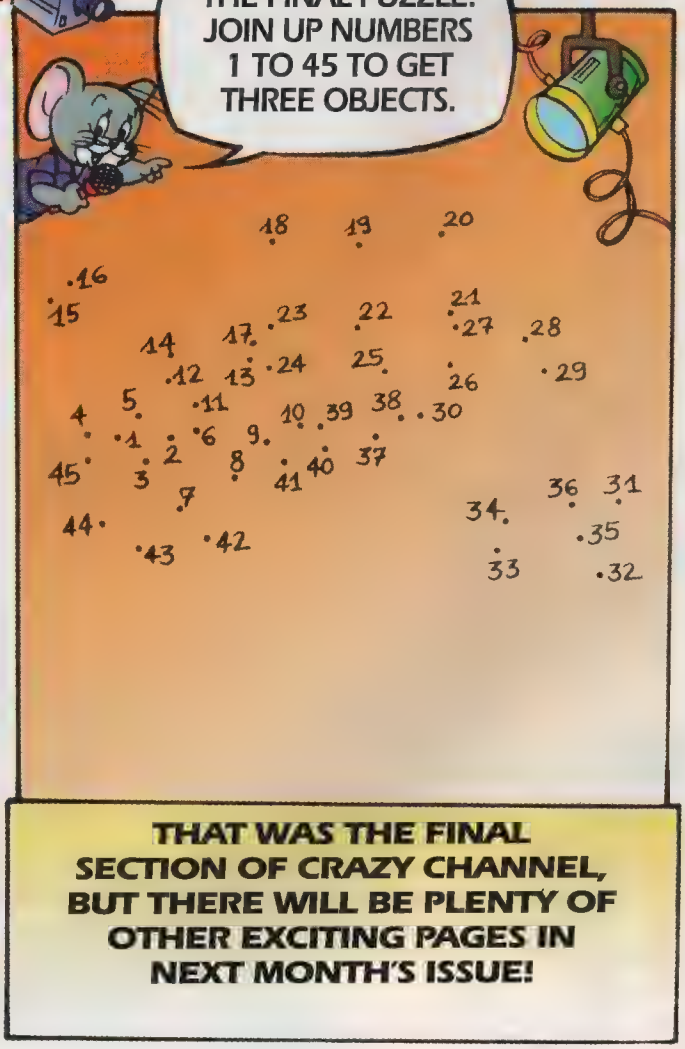
!
NESS
AKE
DANGER!
MONSTER!
HOTEL
GOLD
PALACE
CLAP!
CLAP!







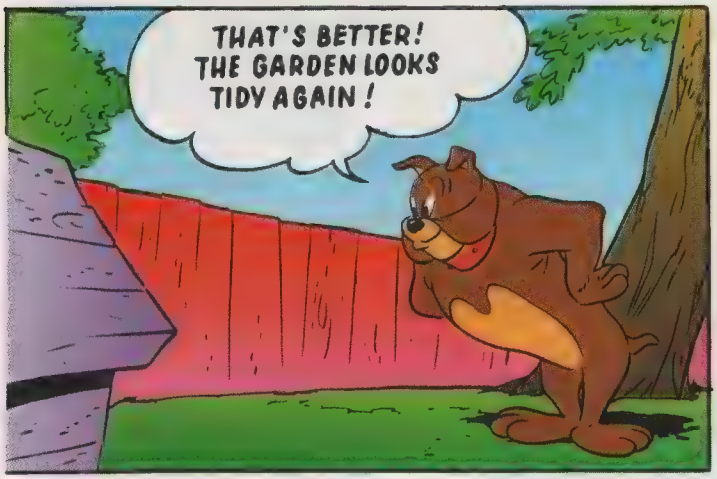
THAT WAS THE FINAL SECTION OF CRAZY CHANNEL, BUT THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF OTHER EXCITING PAGES IN NEXT MONTH'S ISSUE!

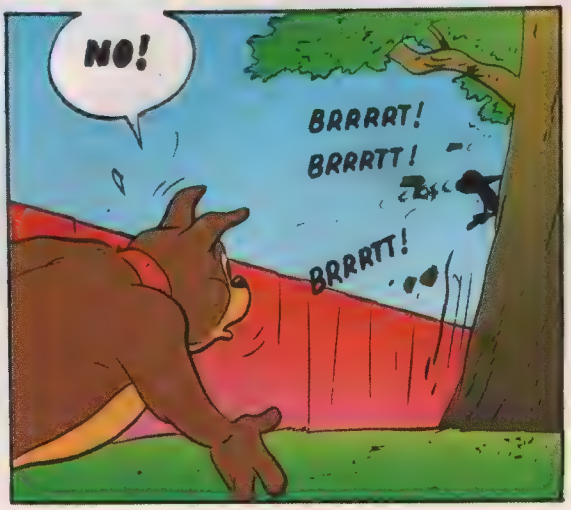
Mouse Blackout

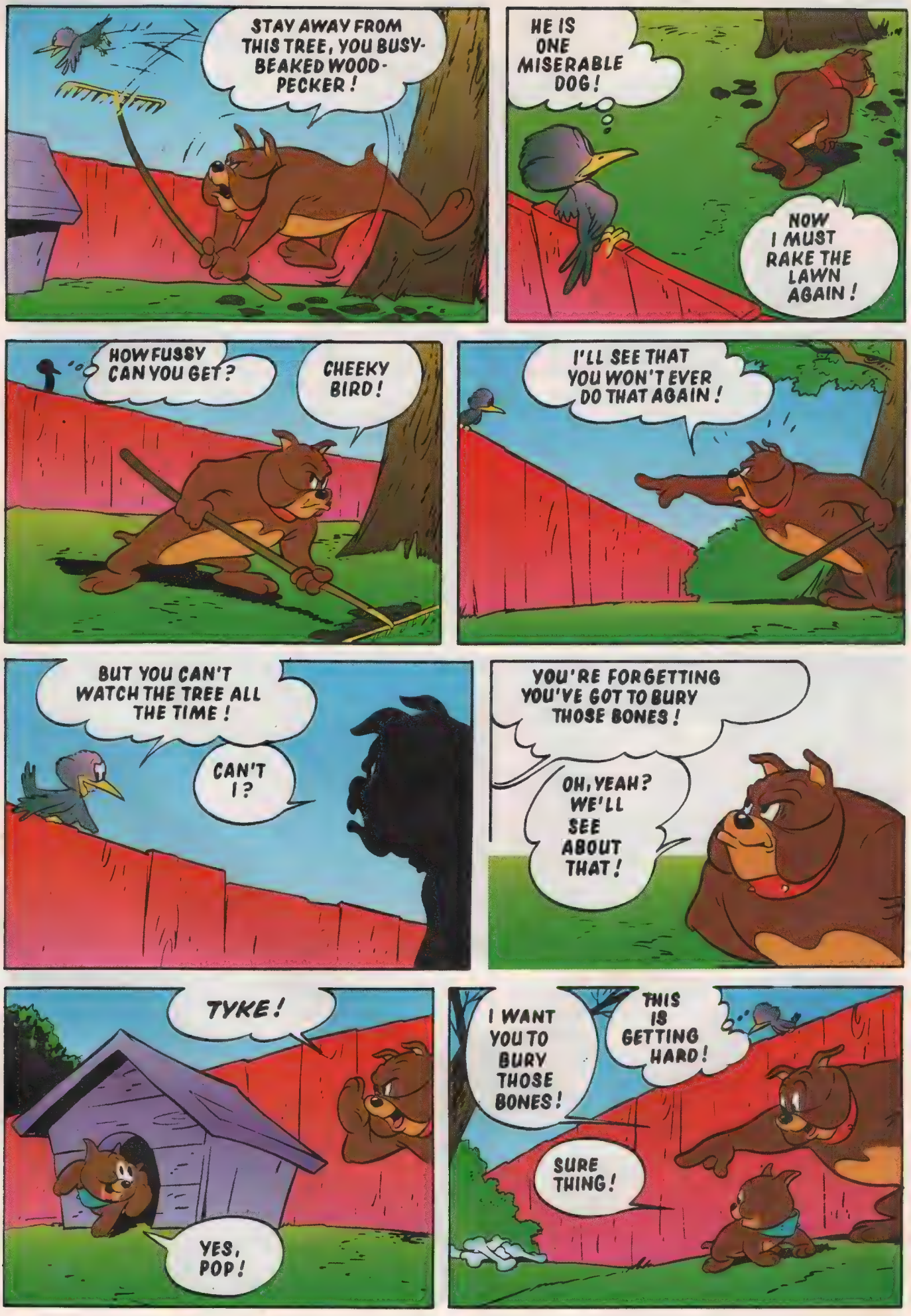
Our artist has been busy on her computer this month. Tom asked her to black out lots of drawings of Jerry and his nephew Tuffy in order to give you an eye test. How many of each mouse can you spot before you look at the answer?

SOLUTION:
5 pictures of Jerry and 6 pictures of Tuffy

SPIKE 'n' TYKE IN TREE TALE






STAY AWAY FROM THIS TREE, YOU BUSY-BEAKED WOOD-PECKER!
HE IS ONE MISERABLE DOG!
NOW I MUST RAKE THE LAWN AGAIN!
HOW FUSSY CAN YOU GET?
CHEEKY BIRD!
I'LL SEE THAT YOU WON'T EVER DO THAT AGAIN!
BUT YOU CAN'T WATCH THE TREE ALL THE TIME!
CAN'T I?
YOU'RE FORGETTING YOU'VE GOT TO BURY THOSE BONES!
OH, YEAH? WE'LL SEE ABOUT THAT!
TYKE!
YES, POP!
I WANT YOU TO BURY THOSE BONES!
THIS IS GETTING HARD!
SURE THING!

NOW, YOU TRESPASSING BUZZARD! I'VE PUT A STOP TO YOU!
I WONDER WHY HE CARES SO MUCH ABOUT THAT TREE?
THOSE BONES ARE VALUABLE!
I MUST FIND A SAFE PLACE TO BURY THEM!
THERE MUST BE A WAY TO GET RID OF THAT STUPID HOUND!
AH! THERE'S THE ANSWER- A CAT!
Z Z Z Z Z
AND HE'S POINTED IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION!
MEEOOWRRR!
OUCH!
THIS TREE IS GOING TO LOOK LIKE A SWISS CHEESE BEFORE HE GETS BACK!
I CAN'T THINK OF A PLACE THAT'S SAFE ENOUGH!
BRRRRT!
BRRRT!
A WOODPECKER!

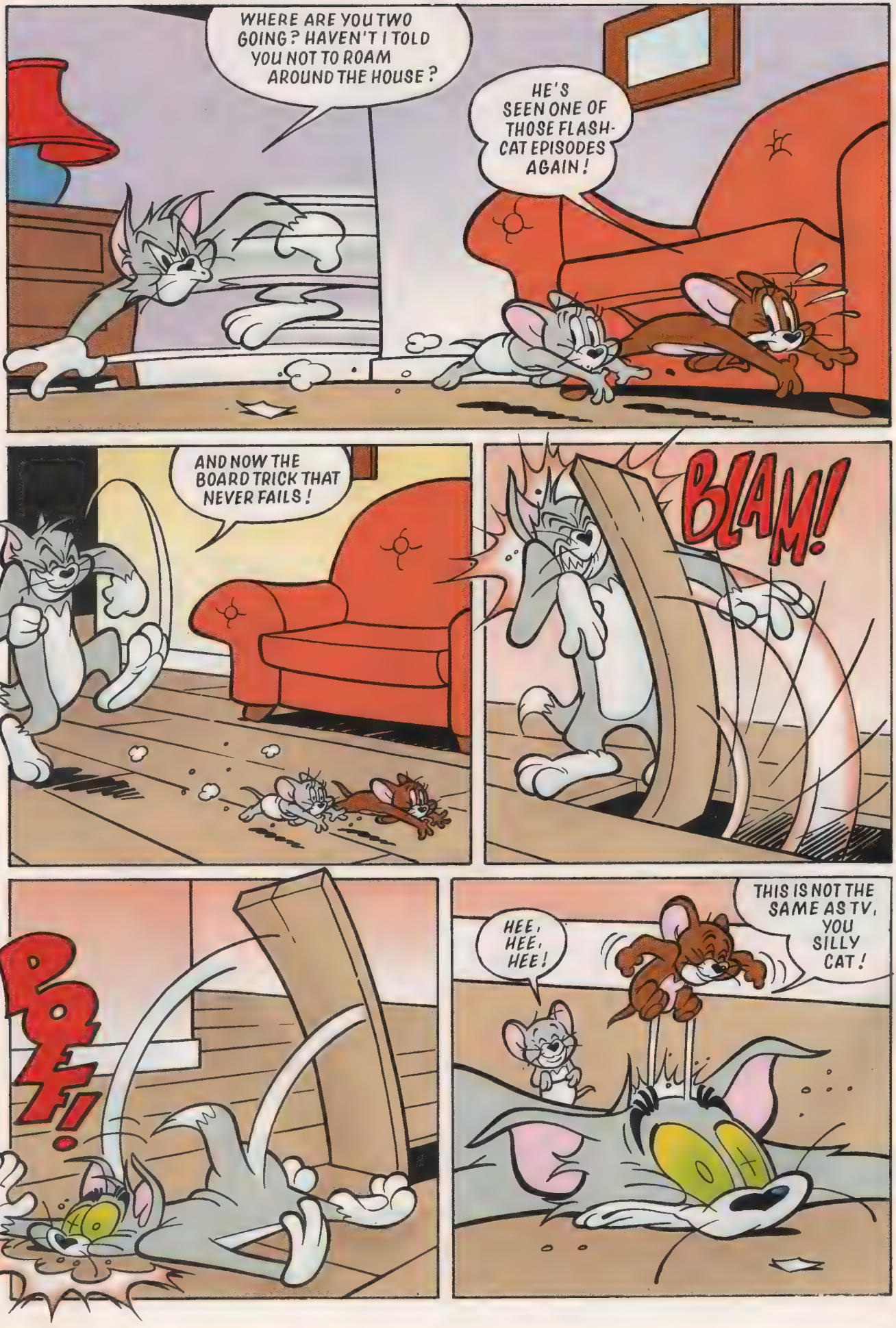
HE'S MADE LOTS OF HOLES IN THE TREE!
DONE IT!
THEY'LL MAKE FINE HIDING PLACES FOR THESE BONES!
I MUST FLY OFF AND GIVE MY BEAK A REST!
THIS IS BOTH SAFE AND CONVENIENT!
DARNED CAT!
I MUST TELL DAD ABOUT THIS!
HERE HE COMES NOW!
LOOK AT THAT TREE!
DAD, I'VE BEEN...
QUIET, TYKE!
I'LL FILL UP THOSE HOLES!
DAD, LISTEN TO ME!
NOT NOW! I'M BUSY!
DON'T DO THAT, DAD! PLEASE...

DON'T TELL ME WHAT TO DO, BOY! THE TREE MUST BE REPAIRED! JUST KEEP QUIET!
THAT'S THAT... THE HOLES ARE PLUGGED WITH FIRST CLASS CEMENT!
YOU CAN SAY THAT AGAIN!
NOW, WHAT WAS IT YOU WANTED TO TELL ME, TYKE?
GULP! NOW I DON'T WANT TO TELL YOU!
TYKE, YOU SHOULD NEVER HESITATE TO TELL YOUR FATHER SOMETHING!
YOU'RE NOT GOING TO LIKE IT!
THERE, BOY! TELL ME NOW! I'M NOT ALL THAT DANGEROUS! I UNDERSTAND!
IT'S ABOUT THOSE BONES I WAS GOING TO BURY!
OH, YES, THE BONES! I HOPE YOU HID THEM IN A PLACE WHERE NOBODY CAN GET THEM!
I'M AFRAID I DID!
HE SEEMS TO BE IN A BETTER MOOD NOW!
I PUT THEM IN THE HOLES IN THE TREE!
IN THE TREE! HA, HA, HA! TO THINK..
ONE MOMENT HE'S ALL HAPPY—THE NEXT HE'S MENTAL!
IN THE TREE?!!

HE'S IMAGINING THERE ARE BONES IN THE TREE!
EVERY BONE I CAN CALL MINE IS INSIDE THE TREE!
I TRIED TO TELL YOU...
POOR DOG!
WE'RE GOING TO GET THEM OUT AGAIN SOMEHOW!
TAKE IT EASY, POP!
WHAT A VERY STRANGE DOG HE IS...
NO TREE IS GOING TO STEAL MY BONES!
HOW CAN A TREE HAVE TAKEN HIS BONES?
I'M GOING TO GET THEM BACK.
YIPE! IT HAS TAKEN HIS BONES!
THAT'S MORE LIKE IT!
WELL DONE, POP!
I HAD NO IDEA A TREE COULD DO THAT!
I WONDER... MAYBE IT'S ME THAT'S CRAZY!
IT MAY BE DANGEROUS FLYING AROUND PECKING AT TREES LIKE I DO!
THIS TIME I'M GOING TO BURY THEM, DAD!
I'LL PUT THIS IN THE WOODSHED!
I'M MUCH HAPPIER WITHOUT THAT TREE ANYWAY!
ME, TOO!
POOR ME! I'M NOT HAPPY AT ALL!
END

TOM & JERRY
GO ON, FLASHCAT- GO GET HIM!
FLASHCAT
YOU CAN'T ESCAPE, RODENT!
THIS BOARD TRICK NEVER FAILS.
EEEK!
FLAPP!
NO-ONE CAN ESCAPE FROM FLASH-CAT!
GULP!
SNAPP!
BONKA! BUMPA!
BOFF!
BONK!
TAKE THIS WITH MY COMP-LIMENTS!

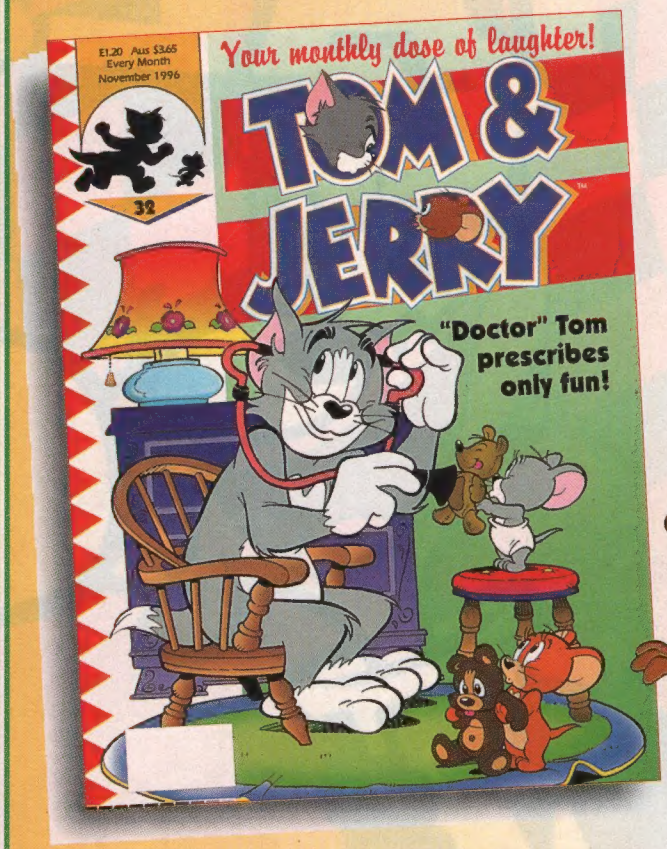
OUT – AND DON'T COME BACK!
DUNS!
REMEMBER, MY FRIENDS: A MOUSE CAN NEVER ESCAPE FROM AN INTELLIGENT AND CRAFTY CAT! SEE YOU TOMORROW!
I LOVE FLASHCAT! HE'S INVINCIBLE! I WISH I WERE LIKE HIM!
WHERE ARE JERRY AND TUFFY? I'LL SHOW THEM HOW INTELLIGENT AND CRAFTY I AM.
PEACE AND QUIET, TUFFY. ENJOY IT!
NOT FOR LONG!


WHERE ARE YOU TWO GOING? HAVEN'T I TOLD YOU NOT TO ROAM AROUND THE HOUSE?
HE'S SEEN ONE OF THOSE FLASH-CAT EPISODES AGAIN!
AND NOW THE BOARD TRICK THAT NEVER FAILS!
BLAM!
POW!
HEE, HEE, HEE!
THIS IS NOT THE SAME AS TV, YOU SILLY CAT!

I'M FED UP! NOTHING FLASHCAT EVER DOES TURNS OUT WELL FOR ME!
I'M GOING TO SEND HIM A LITTLE PRESENT!
I HOPE HE OPENS IT PERSONALLY.
THE NEXT DAY...
FLASHCAT
KNOCK!
KNOCK!
PARCEL FOR MR. FLASHCAT!
IT MUST BE FROM ONE OF MY MANY FANS!
WHAT SURPRISE HAVE THEY BROUGHT ME THIS TIME?

BONK!
BLABBLABB-LABBLABB!
YOU'RE A FRAUD! TOM
IT'S TIME FOR FLASHCAT'S SHOW!
LET'S SEE!
WE APOLOGISE FOR NOT BEING ABLE TO SHOW TODAY'S FLASHCAT EPISODE, OUR STAR IS SUFFERING FROM A TERRIBLE HEAD-ACHE...
HE'S NOT AS INTELLIGENT AND CRAFTY IN REAL LIFE AS HE IS ON TV! HA, HA, HA!
END

"We'll all be here again next month, boys and girls...



...even our old pals Spike 'n' Tyke join us!"

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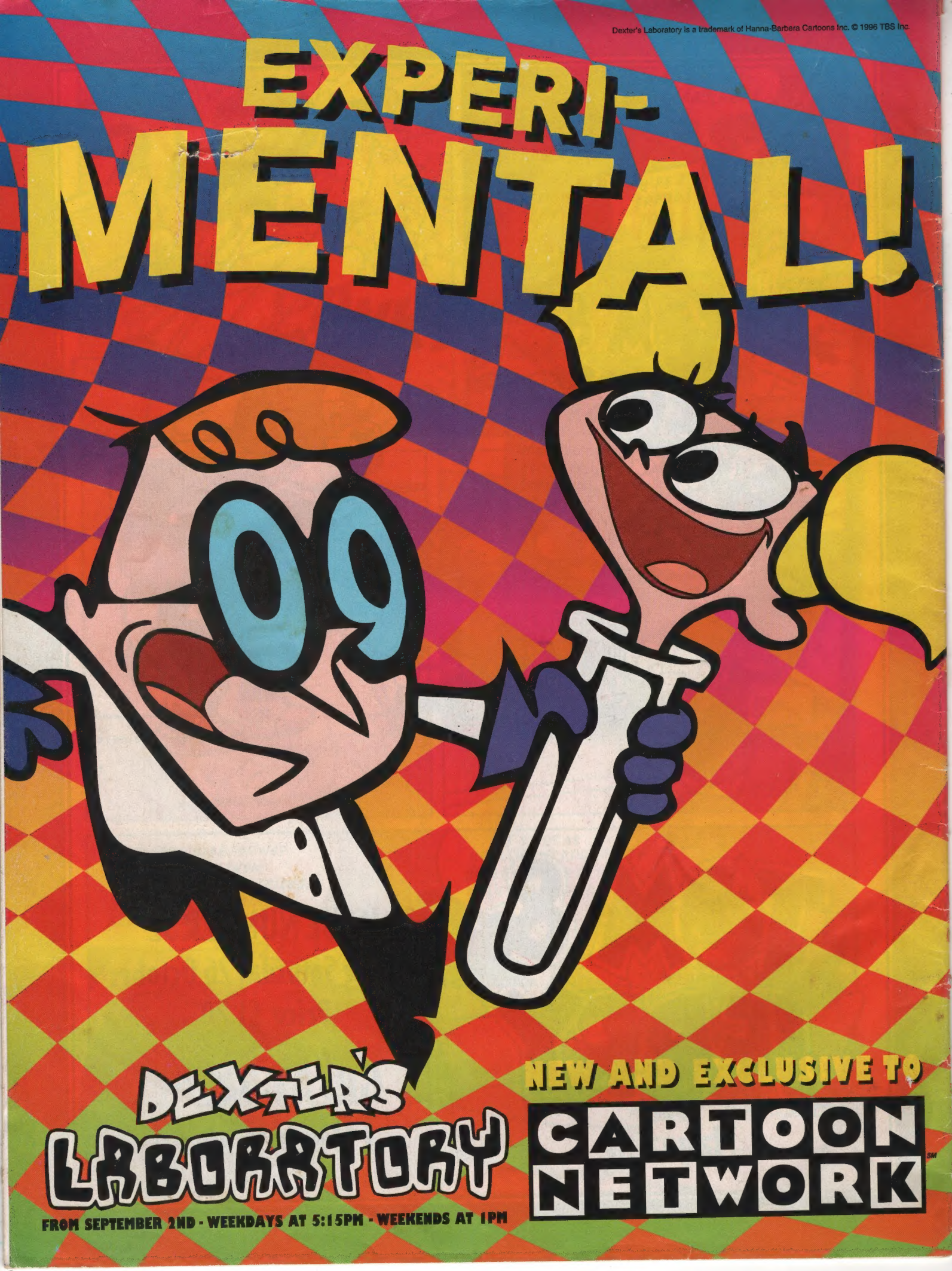

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